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"Welcome to Greece"

Another milestone has been reached on the road towards European unification. On 1 January 1981 Greece will become a full member of the European Community, conferring upon it a new political, geographical and economic dimension.

Over the past ten years the Directorate-General for Information of the Commission of the European Communities has from time to time published information on the subject of "Greece and the European Community" in its Europe Information (External Relations) series. The November issue of "European File" (No 17-18/80), likewise published by the Directorate-General for Information, was also concerned with Greece under the title "The Community of Ten - welcome to Greece".

The "Europe Information (External Relations)" series is devoting one last issue to Greece in the form of statistical tables giving data on the ten Member States, the applicant states (Portugal and Spain) and the major economic powers. These tables constitute, at this stage, the only statistical source containing data on the Community of Ten.

Most of the data have been taken from Eurostat's "Basic Statistics" (1980 edition). These have been updated, supplemented and recalculated on the basis of a Community of Ten.

Brief history of relations between Greece and the European Community

Greece was the first country to become associated with the European Community. As early as 9 July 1961, four years after the signing of the Treaty of Rome (which set up the European Economic Community), an Association Agreement was signed in Athens between Greece and the Community.

The Agreement contained provisions for progressively cutting customs tariffs, promoting cooperation and harmonizing policies in a number of fields, and funds were made available to Greece to help speed up the development of its economy. The Agreement also provided for the possibility of accession once Greece was in a position to assume all the obligations resulting from the European Treaties.

Following the coup d'état in Greece in April 1967, the European Community put its political relations with Athens "on ice", without, however, interrupting the day-to-day administration of the Agreement, in particular the dismantling of customs tariffs.

Since democracy was restored in 1974, the Agreement has been supplemented by a second financial protocol^{*} (28 February 1977), providing for aid worth 280 million European units of account^{*}, mainly in the form of loans.

^{*} 1 EUA: Dr 42 in 1977, Dr 47 in 1978, Dr 51 in 1979 and Dr 60 at the end of 1980.

On 12 June 1975 Greece applied for membership of the European Communities. Following favourable opinion given by the Commission and the Council, negotiations were formally opened on 27 July 1976.

Three years later, on 28 May 1979, the Treaty of Accession was signed in Athens. This Treaty has been ratified by the ten national Parliaments and approved by the European Parliament.

Since then, Greece and the Community have been engaged in a phase of mutual information and consultation -which will continue until the end of 1980- in order to facilitate Greece's accession on 1 January 1981.

POPULATION

AREA, POPULATION, DENSITY PER SQ. KILOMETRE AND ESTIMATED POPULATION GROWTH

1979

Country	Area '000 sq km	Population '000	Density per sq km	Projected population 1000	
				1985	1990
FR Germany	248,6	61 359	247	59 614	58 587
France	544,0	53 477	98	54 829	56 085
Italy	301,3	56 914	189	57 078	57 830
Netherlands	41,2	14 039	341	14 250	14 648
Belgium	30,5	9 848	323	9 840	9 887
Luxembourg	2,6	364	140	358	360
United Kingdom	244,1	55 946	229	56 164	56 844
Ireland	70,3	3 368	48	3 538	3 718
Denmark	43,1	5 117	119	5 187	5 244
Greece	132,0	9 449	72	9 477	9 696
EUR 10	1 657,7	269 881	163	270 335	272 899
Spain	504,8	37 180	74	39 050	40 642
Portugal	91,6	9 841	107	10 206	10 471
USSR	22 402,2	264 110	12	279 558	291 637
USA	9 363,1	220 580	24	232 880	243 513
Japan	377,6	115 870	307	119 732	122 769
World	135 830,0	4 336 000	32	4 827 476	5 272 667

CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT BY MAIN SECTORS OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

1979

%

Country	Agriculture	Industry	Services	Total
FR Germany	6,2	44,9	48,9	100,0
France	8,8	36,3	54,9	100,0
Italy	14,8	37,7	47,5	100,0
Netherlands	4,8	32,7	62,4	100,0
Belgium (1)	3,1	35,5	61,3	100,0
Luxembourg	6,1	44,7	49,2	100,0
United Kingdom	2,6	39,0	58,4	100,0
Ireland	21,0	31,9	47,1	100,0
Denmark	8,3	30,2	61,5	100,0
Greece	30,8	30,0	39,2	100,0
EUR 10	8,4	38,6	53,0	100,0
Spain	19,5	36,4	44,1	100,0
Portugal	30,6	35,0	34,4	100,0
USSR (2) (3)	21,1	38,3	40,6	100,0
USA	3,6	31,3	65,1	100,0
Japan	11,2	34,9	53,9	100,0

1. Situation on 30.6.1979

2. 1978

3. Excluding persons engaged solely in working privately-owned agricultural holdings

FOREIGN WORKERS
1979

Foreign workers in member countries of the Community according to nationality.

Country of Employment

Country of origin	FR Germany ¹⁾	France ²⁾	Italy ²⁾	Netherlands ¹⁾	Belgium ²⁾	Luxembourg ¹⁾	United Kingdom ¹⁾	Ireland ²⁾	Denmark ¹⁾	Total ^{*)}
FR Germany		24.400	8.955	13.094bc)	10.500	4.500	71.000r)	..	5.117	137.500
France	47.290		5.763	2.000b)	38.000	8.100	16.500	..	984	119.000
Italy	300 442	175.800		12.000b)	90.500	11.000	72.000r)	..	1.045	663.000
Netherlands	40.106	5.300	1.543		19.000	700	10.500r)	..	1.002	78.000
Belgium	9 424	21.200	771	17.245a)		7.500	7.500r)	..	181	64.000
Luxembourg	1.338	1.300	41	60b)	2.000		500	..	4	5.200
United Kingdom	30.898	12.400	6.305	10.000b)	9.500	300		..	5.582	75.000
Ireland	1.649	900	177	2.000b)	600	0	452.000r)	..	479	458.000
Denmark	3.269	700	360	180b)	700	100	2.000a)	..		7.300
Greece	140.139	4.000	983	226	10.250	0	10.000r)	12	395	166.000
EUR 10	574.555	246.000	24.898	57.000b)	181.050	32.200	642.000r)	12	14.789	1.773.000
Spain	89.992	184.500	2.286	1.085	30.750	2.200	37.000r)	73	671	349.000
Portugal	59.145	385.000	1.493	1.462	5.900	13.300	10.000a)	11	162	476.000
Turkey	540.471	36.300	384	11.987	21.000	..	3.000a)	8	8.149	621.000
Yugoslavia	367.301	43.100	4.354	1.605	2.900	600	4.000a)	5	4.759	429.000
Algeria	1.604	361.000	3.100	..	600a)	5	186	366.000
Marocco	16.214	181.400	..	6.297	35.000	..	2.000a)	17	1.155	242.000
Tunisia	10.000a)	73.700	..	215	4.500	..	200a)	3	107	89.000
Other non-member countries	274.369	131.800	25.623	15.595	37.250	2.100	966.205rb)	2 235	16.339	1.471.000
Total of non-member countries	1.359.096	1.396.800	34.140	38.246d)	140.400	18.200	1.023.005	2.357	31.528	4.043.000
Grand Total	1.933.651	1.642.800	59.038	95.000	321.450	50.400	1.665.005	2.369	46.317	5.816.000

Source : Directorate-General for Employment and Social Affairs, Commission of the European Communities
(See notes on following page)

Foreign Workers - Notes

Note (r) = corrected figure

BELGIUM

- (1) Not including frontier workers;
- (2) including unemployed and invalids; approximation made by the Ministère de l'Emploi et du Travail.

DENMARK

- (1) Not including frontier workers and workers from Scandinavian countries

GERMANY

- (1) Including frontier workers;
- (a) estimates made by the Commission services

FRANCE

- (1) Including frontier workers and seasonal workers (except those employed in agriculture), as well as unemployed.
- (2) Estimates of the position in October 1976, made by the Ministère du Travail et de la participation on the basis of the survey on foreign workers; more recent data not available.

IRELAND

- (1) Following the discontinuance of work permits, this country is not yet in a position to record the new entries of Community workers;
- (2) refers to the number of work permits issued during 1978 to non-Community workers.

ITALY

- (1) Not including frontier workers;
- (2) annual average 1975; more recent data not available.

LUXEMBOURG

- (1) Including frontier workers.

NETHERLANDS

- (1) Including Belgian and German frontier workers;
- (a) frontier workers on 1.4.1979;
- (b) estimate of the situation at the end of 1979 made by the Commission services;
- (c) of which 1094 German frontier workers on 1.4.1979;
- (d) break in series in mid-September 1979 following publication on 1.11.1979 of Law concerning the employment of foreign workers; refers to the number of valid work permits issued to non-Community workers in work for less than 5 years.

UNITED KINGDOM

- (1) Estimates relating to the active foreign population born out of the country, made by the Department of Employment during the 1971 census; more recent data not available.
- (a) estimates made by the Commission services;
- (b) of which 631 000 are workers born in Commonwealth countries.

COMMUNITY

- (*) Estimates made by the Commission services.

NATIONAL ACCOUNTS

ANNUAL RATES OF GROWTH
OF GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT AT MARKET PRICES
1968 - 1978 (At constant Prices)
%

Country	Total	Per head of total population	Per head of occupied population
FR Germany	3,6	3,3	3,9
France	4,4	3,7	3,7
Italy	3,4	2,7	3,0
Netherlands	3,9	3,0	3,7
Belgium	3,9	3,6	3,6
Luxembourg	3,4	2,8	2,2
United Kingdom	2,3	2,1	2,3
Ireland	4,2	2,9	4,3
Denmark	3,1	2,6	2,5
Greece	5,9	5,2	5,8
EUR 10	3,6	3,7	4,1
Spain	5,0	3,9	5,0
Portugal	4,8	4,0	5,4 (a)
USSR	:	:	:
USA	2,9	2,0	1,0
Japan	6,6	5,3	5,8

(a) 1966 - 1976

GROSS VALUE ADDED
AT MARKET PRICES BY BRANCH
1977
%

Country	Agriculture Forestry and Fishing	Industry (incl. construction)	Services and general go- vernment	Gross value added at market prices
FR Germany	2,8	47,2	51,1	100
France	5,3	41,1	53,6	100
Italy	7,3	44,8	47,9	100
Netherlands	4,7	39,2	57,3	100
Belgium	2,4	39,0	58,2	100
Luxembourg	3,2	45,4	52,6	100
United Kingdom	2,4	40,5	57,1	100
Ireland (c)	17,7	34,6	47,8	100
Denmark (c)(d)	6,4	31,0	62,6	100
Greece (c)	16,8	31,4	51,8	100
EUR 10(a)	4,4	42,8	53,1	100
Spain (c)	9,2	37,6	53,2	100
Portugal(b)(c)	14,5	42,9	42,6	100
USSR	:	:	:	:
USA	2,8	34,0	63,8	100
Japan	5,1	40,3	59,1	100

(a) The total of the three groups is not always equal to 100, the difference being constituted by the VAT deductible on purchases of capital goods

(b) 1976

(c) At factor cost

(d) 1974

AGRICULTURE

INDICES OF AGRICULTURAL OUTPUT (a)

Average 1969 - 1971 = 100

Country	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
FR Germany	101	105	102	101	104	111
France	111	113	108	107	108	116
Italy	102	106	107	105	106	107
Netherlands	107	116	121	119	124	133
Belgium						
Luxembourg	106	113	104	97	107	111
United Kingdom	107	113	107	105	114	116
Ireland	100	118	138	127	143	140
Denmark	99	110	100	100	108	112
Greece	109	118	126	128	126	133
Spain	116	120	126	128	127	135
Portugal	100	102	102	98	87	88
USSR	117	111	109	113	116	122
USA	106	107	113	117	122	122
Japan	101	103	109	100	108	107
World	108	110	113	115	118	122

(a) FAO index

GREEK EXPORTS OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

(mio \$)

Group of products	1978			1979		
	E.C.	Rest of the World	World	E.C.	Rest of the World	World
1. Tobacco, unmanufactured	73,0	138,4	211,4	57,8	131,7	189,5
2. Fruit and vegetables	339,0	271,5	610,5	367,4	274,0	641,4
a. Citrus fruit	13,4	66,1	79,5	2,4	45,1	47,5
b. Fresh and dried grapes	94,7	63,8	158,5	109,7	74,9	184,6
c. stone fruit, fresh	56,9	9,4	66,3	56,8	8,4	65,2
d. other fruit (fresh and dried)	12,0	9,9	21,9	15,0	15,0	30,0
e. vegetables, fresh & dried	48,2	4,9	53,1	54,0	3,6	57,6
f. prepared and preserved vegetables (incl. olives)	38,9	79,0	117,9	53,0	83,9	136,9
g. fruit, preserved and fruit preparations	74,9	38,4	113,3	76,5	43,1	119,6
3. Olive oil	53,5	5,0	58,5	26,8	9,2	36,0
4. Wine	14,0	12,8	26,8	16,9	17,2	34,1
5. Wheat	-	20,0	20,0	-	15,5	15,5
6. Miscellaneous	38,0	118,7	156,7	44,6	186,9	231,5
1. - 6. Food stuffs & Tobacco	517,5	566,4	1 083,9	513,5	634,5	1148,0

1978 : 1 \$ US = 37,097 drachmes

1979 : 1 \$ US = 37,416 drachmes

Source : Greek National Statistical Office included in the report of the
EEC-Greece Association Council 1979-80

ENERGY

PRODUCTION OF PRIMARY ENERGY

1978

'000 toe

Country	Coal and lignite	Crude petroleum	Natural gas	Primary electricity (a)	Total primary energy (b)
FR Germany	83 401	5 059	15 464	3 861	108 834
France	13 040	1 117	6 597	15 143	40 017
Italy	300	1 488	11 297	10 362	23 672
Netherlands	-	1 520	67 019	-	68 687
Belgium	4 234	-	29	50	4 366
Luxembourg	-	-	-	26	41
United Kingdom	70 577	52 557	32 597	982	157 340
Ireland	796(c)	-	8	177	982
Denmark	-	432	-	5	437
Greece	3 000	-	-	750	3 750
EUR 10	175 348	62 173	133 011	31 356	408 126
Spain	9 430	980	-	9 750	20 160
Portugal	130	100	-	2 510	2 740
USSR					
USA	372 400	492 940	445 430	70 140	1451 780
Japan	14 110	550	2 370	18 390	35 420
World					

(a) Primary electric energy has been converted into oil equivalent on the basis of a calorific equivalent necessary for the production of 1 kwh gross in steam generating stations

(b) Including wood, garbage etc. for the Community countries (EUR 9) consumed in electrical generating stations

(c) Peat

ENERGY

INLAND CONSUMPTION OF PRIMARY ENERGY

PRODUCTS AND EQUIVALENTS (a)

1978

Mio toe

Country	Coal and lignite	Crude petroleum	Natural gas	Primary electricity (b)	Total energy
FR. Germany	73,5	139,3	41,4	4,6	267,9
France	29,5	113,1	18,8	16,1	184,3
Italy	8,6	92,6	22,4	10,8	135,7
Netherlands	3,5	27,5	32,0	0,1	64,1
Belgium	10,6	25,0	8,5	-0,6	46,3
Luxembourg	1,8	1,4	0,5	0,8	4,5
United Kingdom	69,4	91,6	37,1	1,0	208,1
Ireland	1,5	5,8	0,0	0,2	7,5
Denmark	3,4	15,4	-	0,8	19,6
Greece	3,3	11,3	-	0,8	15,3
EUR 10	205,1	523,0	160,7	34,6	953,3
Spain	10,8	48,1	1,4	9,8	71,7
Portugal	0,5	6,6	-	2,5	9,6
USSR					
USA	361,6	888,4	464,7	71,7	1 857,3
Japan	51,3	256,9	16,1	18,4	357,2
World					

- (a) Production of primary energy products *net trade and changes in stocks of primary and secondary energy products (see SOEC's Energy Statistics)
- (b) Primary electricenergy has been converted into oil equivalent on the basis of calorific equivalent necessary for the production of 1 kWh gross in steam generating stations

ENERGY

CRUDE OIL

1978

'000 t

Country	Production (a)	Imports	Crude oil refinery intake	Refining capacity (b)
FR Germany	5 059	90 596	100 660	159 430
France	1 117	114 042	118 002	169 000
Italy	1 488	110 456	113 707	180 000
Netherlands	1 520	54 069	57 436	85 630
Belgium	-	32 685	33 772	55 554
Luxembourg	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	52 557	66 310	95 474	148 472
Ireland	-	2 187	2 281	2 770
Denmark	432	5 208	8 075	10 580
Greece	-	12 628	11 568	20 468
EUR 10	62 173	488 181 (c)	540 975	831 904
Spain	980	47 413	47 516	70 965
Portugal	-	6 296	6 072	17 967
USSR	572 500	:	:	512 804
USA	481 461	349 054	790 131	854 070
Japan	542	230 180	213 483	272 884
World	3 097 000	:	:	3 899 000

(a) Condensates included

(b) Atmospheric distillation (end of year)

(c) Community of nine : excluding trade within the Community

INDUSTRY

GENERAL INDICES OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION (a)

1975 = 100

Country	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
FR Germany	108	107	100	107	110	113	119
France	105	108	100	109	111	113	117
Italy	106	110	100	112	112	114	123
Netherlands	100	105	100	108	108	109	112
Belgium	107	111	100	108	109	111	116
Luxembourg	124	128	100	104	104	108	111
United Kingdom	108	105	100	103	108	111	115
Ireland	103	107	100	109	118	129	137
Denmark	107	106	100	109	110	113	117
EUR 9	106	107	100	107	110	112	118
Greece	97	96	100	111	113	121	128
Spain	98	107	100	106	119	122	:
Portugal	103	108	100	103	117	125	134
USSR	86	93	100	105	111	116	120
USA	110	110	100	111	117	124	129
Japan	116	112	100	111	116	123	133
World (b)	101	104	100	108	113	118	:

(a) Excl. construction

(b) Excl. People's Rep. of China, Albania, Dem. People's Rep. of Korea and Dem. Rep. of Vietnam

INDUSTRY

BUILDING : NUMBER OF DWELLINGS COMPLETED

1978

Country	Dwellings completed ('000)	Dwellings completed per '000 inhabitants
FR Germany	367,5	6,0
France	443,6	8,3
Italy	154,3	2,7
Netherlands	105,8	7,6
Belgium (a)	67,49	6,9
Luxembourg (b)	2,3	6,4
United Kingdom	288,1	5,2
Ireland	25,5	7,7
Denmark	34,2	6,7
Greece	187,0	20,0

(a) Dwellings begun

(b) Dwellings authorized

TRANSPORT

RAILWAYS (a) : LENGTH OF LINE,
PASSENGER-KILOMETRES AND TONNE-KILOMETRES

1978

Country	Length of line operated (km)	Passenger- kilometres (mio)	Net tonne- kilometres (mio)
FR Germany	28 542	36 292	56 314
France	34 096	53 504	68 697
Italy	16 096	39 211	17 337
Netherlands	2 876	8 146	2 882
Belgium	4 042	7 136	7 119
Luxembourg	270	296	649
United Kingdom	17 901	30 740	19 980
Ireland	2 007	966	630
Denmark	2 004	3 128	1 789
Greece	2 479	1 568	854
EUR 10	110 313	180 987	176 251
Spain	13 533	16 758	10 708
Portugal	3 588	5 514	933
USSR	140 400	332 100	3 429 400
USA	320 178 (b)	16 572 (b)	1 397 690 (b)
Japan	:	:	:

Source : Economic Commission for Europe, Geneva, included in the "Basic Statistics 1980"

(a) National railway companies only

(b) 1977

TRANSPORT

CIVIL AVIATION OF IATA COMPANIES

1978

Country	Number of airlines	Number of aircraft	Passenger- km mio (a)	Available seat-km mio (a)	Load-factor %
FR Germany	1	92	17 572	29 718	59,1
France	2	138	27 232	42 574	64,0
Italy	1	65	11 974	19 773	60,6
Netherlands	1	50	12 295	20 700	59,4
Belgium	1	25	4 497	7 779	57,8
Luxembourg	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	2	201	38 153	60 401	63,0
Ireland	1	18	1 836	2 704	67,9
Denmark (b)	:	:	:	:	:
Greece	1	41	4 629	7 194	64,3
EUR 10	:	:	:	:	:
Spain	1	90	13 670	21 654	63,1
Portugal	1	26	3 383	6 002	56,4
USSR	-	-	-	-	-
USA	7	1 292	259 079	410 757	63,0
Japan	1	73	24 847	38 172	65,1

Source : IATA, World Air Transport Statistics 1978, included in the "Basic Statistics 1980"

(a) International and domestic scheduled services

(b) Norway, Denmark and Sweden (SAS Company)

TRANSPORT

MARITIME FLEETS (a)

1 July 1978

Country	All ships			Among which oil tankers	
	Number	'000 tons gross	% World	Number	'000 tons gross
FR Germany	1 999	9 737	2,4	121	3 419
France	1 317	12 197	3,0	106	7 715
Italy	1 694	11 492	2,8	289	4 874
Netherlands	1 238	5 180	1,3	84	2 221
Belgium	268	1 685	0,4	15	304
Luxembourg	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	3 359	30 897	7,6	441	14 731
Ireland	110	212	0,1	3	4
Denmark	1 397	5 530	1,4	74	2 902
Greece	3 666	33 956	8,4	443	10 653
EUR 10	15 048	110 886	27	1 576	46 823
Spain	2 753	8 056	2,0	119	5 079
Portugal	342	1 240	0,3	22	646
USSR	7 991	22 262	5,5	495	4 693
USA	4 746	16 188	4,0	311	6 658
Japan	9 321	39 182	9,7	1 428	16 386
Liberia	2 523	80 191	19,8	821	49 778
Panama	3 640	20 749	5,1	317	6 337
World	69 020	406 002	100	6 882	175 035

Source : Lloyd's Register of Shipping - Statistical Tables, 1978,
included in the "Basic Statistics 1980"

(a) Excl. Ships under 100 tons gross

EXTERNAL TRADE

TOTAL IMPORTS

Country	1971	1975	1978	Mio ECU	
				1979	
				Mio ECU	%
FR Germany	34 431	60 442	95 405	116 310	10,3
France	20 262	43 682	64 215	77 999	6,9
Italy	15 298	31 122	44 248	56 763	5,0
Netherlands	14 624	28 389	41 532	49 053	4,4
Belgium)	12 357	24 819	38 095	44 055	3,9
Luxembourg)					
United Kingdom	22 915	42 905	61 638	74 762	6,6
Ireland	1 761	3 046	5 591	7 177	0,6
Denmark	4 343	8 383	11 422	13 470	1,2
Greece	2 002	4 285	5 929	7 033	0,6
EUR 10	127 993	247 073	368 075	446 622	39,6
Spain	4 739	13 106	14 648	18 521	1,6
Portugal	1 698	3 078	4 076	4 774	0,4
USSR	11 911	29 812	39 668	42 281	3,7
USA	43 487	78 098	135 985	151 119	13,4
Japan	18 807	46 635	62 254	80 708	7,2
World (a)	325 400	675 200	984 900	1 128 800	100

(a) Excl. the Centrally Planned Economies but incl. USSR

GENERAL NOTE on the external trade figures :

General trade for the United Kingdom, Denmark

Special trade in all other cases. Imports fob for the USA. Imports cif and exports fob in all other cases.

EXTERNAL TRADE

TOTAL EXPORTS

Mio ECU

Country	1971	1975	1978	1979	
				MioECU	%
FR Germany	39 141	72 666	111 340	125 243	11,2
France	19 576	41 981	60 118	71 509	6,4
Italy	14 465	28 240	43 942	52 614	4,7
Netherlands	13 468	28 593	39 292	46 434	4,1
Belgium	12 184	23 193	35 204	41 033	3,7
Luxembourg					
United Kingdom	21 423	35 288	56 090	66 067	5,9
Ireland	1 257	2 585	4 459	5 222	0,5
Denmark	3 412	7 024	9 224	10 665	1,0
Greece	633	1 848	2 617	2 813	0,3
EUR 10	125 558	241 418	362 286	421 600	37,6
Spain	2 805	6 192	10 250	13 276	1,2
Portugal	988	1 556	1 905	2 543	0,2
USSR	13 177	26 862	40 975	47 352	4,2
USA	42 119	86 714	112 732	132 639	11,8
Japan	22 982	44 934	76 593	75 225	6,7
World (a)	312 800	662 000	962 500	1 120 900	100

(a) Excl. the Centrally Planned Economies but incl. USSR

EXTERNAL TRADE

IMPORTS FROM MEMBER COUNTRIES OF EC

Country	Mio ECU		% (a)	
	1978	1979	1978	1979
FR Germany	47 838	57 378	50.1	49.3
France	33 030	39 065	51.4	50.1
Italy	19 796	25 082	44.7	44.2
Netherlands	23 828	27 664	57.4	56.4
Belgium } Luxembourg }	26 306	29 625	69.1	67.3
United Kingdom	23 394	30 505	38.0	40.8
Ireland	3 925	5 411	70.2	75.4
Denmark	5 675	6 739	49.7	50.0
Greece	2 597	3 110	43.8	44.2
EUR 10	186 389	224 579	50.6	50.3
Spain	5 075	6 654	34.7	35.9
Portugal	1 858	1 983	45.8	41.5
USSR	5 704	6 500	14.4	15.4
USA	23 111	24 740	17.0	16.4
Japan	4 741	5 527	7.6	6.9

(a) Percentage share of total imports of importing country

EXPORTS TO MEMBER COUNTRIES OF EC

Country	Mio ECU		% (a)	
	1978	1979	1978	1979
FR Germany	51 005	60 438	45.8	48.3
France	31 576	37 773	52.5	52.8
Italy	21 085	25 963	48.0	49.4
Netherlands	27 857	33 708	70.9	72.6
Belgium } Luxembourg }	25 187	29 852	71.6	72.8
United Kingdom	21 186	27 611	37.8	41.8
Ireland	3 463	4 052	77.7	77.6
Denmark	4 419	5 227	47.9	49.0
Greece	1 330	1 380	50.8	49.1
EUR 10	187 108	226 004	51.6	53.6
Spain	4 746	6 369	46.3	48.0
Portugal	1 063	1 448	55.5	56.9
USSR	6 017	8 726	14.7	18.4
USA	25 152	31 068	22.3	23.4
Japan	8 668	9 228	11.3	12.3

(a) Percentage share of total exports of exporting country

TOTAL IMPORTS BY AREA OF ORIGIN

1979

Mio ECU

Importing country	Total imports	Origin :				
		EUR 9	USA	Japan	Rest of world	Among which:ACP
FR Germany	116 310	57 378	7 611	3 070	48 251	3 588
France	77 999	39 065	5 906	1 501	31 527	3 537
Italy	56 763	25 082	3 850	646	27 185	1 444
Netherlands	49 053	27 664	4 130	951	16 308	2 292
Belgium	44 055	29 625	2 909	741	10 780	1 487
Luxembourg						
United Kingdom	74 762	30 505	8 728	2 433	33 096	2 235
Ireland	7 177	5 411	526	169	1 071	89
Denmark	13 670	6 863	705	268	5 834	160
Greece	7 033	3 110	341	664	2 918	
EUR 10	446 822	224 703	34 706	10 443	176 970	
Spain	18 521	6 654	2 305	434	9 128	
Portugal	4 774	1 983	560	122	2 109	
Turkey	4 146	1 490	295	225	2 136	
Norway	10 015	4 712	720	338	4 245	
Sweden	20 821	10 686	1 513	597	8 025	
Switzerland	21 382	14 767	1 340	587	4 688	
Austria	14 729	9 537	467	276	4 449	
Finland	8 249	2 851	418	227	4 753	
USSR	42 281	6 500	2 776	1 854	31 151	
USA	151 119	24 740	-	19 259	107 120.	
Canada	39 046	3 480	28 325	1 344	5 897	
Japan	80 708	5 527	14 863	-	60 318	

TOTAL EXPORTS BY AREA OF DESTINATION

1979

Mio ECU

Exporting country	Total exports	Destination :				
		EUR 9	USA	Japan	Rest of world	Among which:ACP
FR Germany	125 243	60 438	8 268	1 653	54 884	1 981
France	71 509	37 773	3 496	678	29 562	3 800
Italy	52 614	25 963	3 401	571	22 679	1 027
Netherlands	46 434	33 708	1 302	253	11 171	1 042
Belgium	41 033	29 852	1 535	252	9 394	751
Luxembourg						
United Kingdom	66 067	27 611	6 263	936	31 257	3 023
Ireland	5 222	4 052	255	43	872	63
Denmark	10 766	5 284	526	246	4 710	130
Greece	2 813	1 380	156	30	1 247	
EUR 10	421 701	226 061	25 202	4 662	165 776	-
Spain	13 276	6 369	952	268	5 687	
Portugal	2 543	1 448	152	29	914	
Turkey	1 804	886	75	17	826	
Norway	9 815	6 272	397	118	3 028	
Sweden	20 087	9 837	1 195	259	8 796	
Switzerland	19 317	9 587	1 326	571	7 833	
Austria	11 257	6 027	287	83	4 860	
Finland	8 134	3 338	347	87	4 362	
USSR	47 352	8 726	391	1 054	37 181	
USA	132 639	31 068	-	12 825	88 746	
Canada	40 807	4 550	27 756	2 552	5 949	
Japan	75 225	9 228	19 388	-	46 609	

IMPORTS BY GROUPS OF PRODUCTS (a)

1979

%

Importing country	Total imports	Food, beverages and tobacco (secs. 0 + 1)	Mineral fuels, lubricants & related materials (sec. 3)	Crude materials, oils and fats (secs. 2 + 4)	Machinery and transport equipment (sec. 7)	Other (secs. 5 + 6 + 8 + 9)
FR Germany	100	11,6	19,4	8,4	19,3	41,3
France	100	10,7	21,5	7,4	22,4	38,0
Italy	100	13,9	23,8	12,9	18,2	31,2
Netherlands	100	12,7	20,2	7,4	22,4	37,3
Belgium } Luxembourg }	100	11,1	14,2	7,7	24,4	42,6
United Kingdom	100	13,7	11,7	8,2	26,3	40,1
Ireland	100	11,5	11,9	4,0	28,8	43,8
Denmark	100	9,9	19,7	6,8	24,8	38,8
Greece (1978)	100	8,3	18,9	6,6	42,7	23,5
Spain (1978)	100	12,4	28,4	15,2	19,4	24,6
Portugal (1978)	100	13,1	15,7	11,3	27,8	32,2
USSR (1978)	100	17,9	3,0	4,5	37,0	37,6
USA	100	8,6	29,0	5,5	25,9	31,0
Japan	100	13,0	40,9	20,1	6,6	19,4

(a) Grouped according to the Standard International Trade Classification (SITC, Revision 2)

EXPORTS BY GROUPS OF PRODUCTS (a)

1979

%

Exporting country	Total exports	Food, beverages and tobacco (secs. 0 + 1)	Mineral fuels, lubricants & related materials (sec.3)	Crude materials, oils and fats (secs 2 + 4)	Machinery & transport equipment (sec.7)	Other (secs. 5 + 6 + 8 + 9)
FR Germany	100	4,5	3,4	2,6	44,8	44,7
France	100	14,3	3,7	4,3	35,8	41,9
Italy	100	7,5	6,6	1,9	30,8	53,2
Netherlands	100	19,5	19,1	6,5	17,5	37,5
Belgium } Luxembourg }	100	8,8	6,4	3,2	23,0	58,6
United Kingdom	100	6,8	10,1	2,9	34,5	45,7
Ireland	100	37,0	0,5	5,2	16,1	41,2
Denmark	100	31,8	3,8	7,8	24,2	32,4
Greece	100	30,8	9,6	12,7	3,1	43,8
Spain	100	17,5	2,5	5,1	25,6	49,2
Portugal	100	14,4	1,7	10,3	13,6	60,0
USSR	100	2,2	35,7	10,6	19,9	31,6
USA	100	13,5	3,1	12,4	38,7	32,2
Japan	100	1,2	0,4	1,2	53,7	43,6

(a) Grouped according to the Standard International Trade Classification (SITC, Revision 2)

TRADE BALANCE

Mio ECU

Country	1972	1975	1978	1979
FR Germany	+ 5 807	+ 12 224	+ 15 935	+ 8 933
France	- 776	- 1 701	- 4 097	- 6 490
Italy	- 635	- 2 882	- 335	- 4 149
Netherlands	- 421	+ 204	- 2 240	- 2 619
Belgium	+ 592	- 1 626	- 2 890	- 3 022
Luxembourg				
United Kingdom	- 3 140	- 7 617	- 5 548	- 8 695
Ireland	- 436	- 461	- 1 132	- 1 955
Denmark	- 644	- 1 359	- 2 199	- 2 806
Greece	- 1 319	- 2 437	- 3 312	- 4 220
EUR 10	- 972	- 5 655	- 5 818	-25 023
Spain	- 2 668	- 6 914	- 4 398	- 5 245
Portugal	- 801	- 1 522	- 2 171	- 2 231
USSR	- 612	- 2 950	+ 1 307	+ 5 071
USA	- 5 175	+ 8 616	- 23 253	-18 480
Japan	+ 4 613	- 1 701	+ 14 339	- 5 483

the sign + indicates a surplus of exports

the sign - indicates a surplus of imports

GREEK EXPORTS BY MAIN PRODUCT GROUPS

As a percentage of total exports

1979

Product groups	E.C.	Rest of World	World
I. Unmanufactured tobacco	3,1	6,7	4,9
II. Foodstuffs			
1. Fruit, vegetables and preparations thereof 1)	19,4	14,0	16,6
2. Olive oil	1,4	0,4	0,9
3. Wine	0,9	0,9	0,9
4. Others	2,3	10,3	6,4
	24,0	25,6	24,8
III. Inedible agricultural products	1,5	4,8	3,2
I - III. Agricultural products	28,6	37,1	32,9
IV. Industrial raw materials	17,1	18,2	17,7
V. Manufactured products 2)	54,3	44,7	49,4
IV - V. Industrial products	71,4	62,9	67,1
I - V. Total exports	100,0	100,0	100,0

(1) including olives

(2) including ECSC products

Source : Report of the EEC - GREECE Association Council 1979-80

Community of Nine Imports from Greece in 1979

List of the 20 major groups of products

<u>Products</u>	<u>ECU</u> <u>Value</u>
1. Furskins and articles of furskin	279.563.000
2. Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals (excluding crude oil)	271.273.000
3. Knitted and crocheted goods	221.120.000
4. Cotton	172.671.000
5. Articles of apparel and clothing	166.251.000
6. Fruits, fresh and dry	152.032.000
7. Iron and steel (ferro-alloys, coils, coils for re-rolling, sheet-metal)	122.475.000
8. Preparations of Vegetables (tomatoes), fruits, etc.	110.519.000
9. Aluminium	78.645.000
10. Magnesite, calcined magnesite	60.401.000
11. Vegetable oils (olive oil)	49.949.000
12. Tobacco, unmanufactured	48.279.000
13. Carpets, woven pile fabrics, etc.	38.680.000
14. Metallurgic Ores, ashes and residues	37.551.000
15. Wines, Vermouths, spirits	37.496.000
16. Footwear	34.011.000
17. Aluminium oxide and hydroxide, manganese dioxide, etc.	32.382.000
18. Vegetables	27.305.000
19. Machines and electrical equipment	23.168.000
20. Miscellaneous products of chemical industries	19.740.000
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	1.983.511.000

(this represents approx. 90%
of total imports)

Community of Nine Exports to Greece in 1979

List of 20 major groups of products

<u>Products</u>	<u>ECU Value</u>
1. Boilers, engines, pumps, regrigerators, centrifuges, miscellaneous machinery and mechanical appliances	614.817.000
2. Motor vehicles, parts, accessories; trucks, motorcycles, etc.	444.382.000
3. Iron and steel, articles thereof	308.110.000
4. Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, cokes, etc.	303.065.000
5. Engines, electro-mechanical domestic appliances, electrical apparatus, etc.	242.455.000
6. Furskins and articles of furskin	213.427.000
7. Artificial plastic materials, polymerisation and copolymerisation products	172.586.000
8. Organic chemicals	102.824.000
9. Dairy produce	67.562.000
10. Discontinuous man-made fibres	66.022.000
11. Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical and surgical instruments and apparatus, etc.	64.129.000
12. Vessels	61.776.000
13. Miscellaneous chemical products	59.885.000
14. Tanning and dyeing extracts, paints and varnishes, etc.	57.089.000
15. Meat and edible meat offals	50.827.000
16. Knitted and crocheted goods	49.346.000
17. Flying machines, helicopters, parts thereof	48.244.000
18. Wool and other animal hair	47.182.000
19. Paper and paper-board	44.928.000
20. Rubber, synthetic rubber, and articles thereof	43.829.000

3.062.485.000

(this represents approx.
75% of total exports)

STANDARD OF LIVING

MOTOR VEHICLES IN USE

1978

Country	Private cars, taxis and cars for hire as well as dual purpose vehicles		Buses and mot. coaches, goods motor vehicles & lorries road tractors, spec. purpose vehicles
	'000	per '000 population	'000
FR Germany	21 212	346	1 581
France	17 400	333	2 494
Italy	16 371 (a)	291	1 648(a)
Netherlands	4 100	295	326
Belgium	2 973	302	268
Luxembourg	153	428	14
United Kingdom	14 417	258	2 373
Ireland	643	195	132
Denmark	1 408	276	277
Greece	745	80	320
EUR 10	79 422	:	9 433
Spain	6 530	178	1 252
Portugal	1 161	118	86
USSR	6 644(a)	25	6 382(a)
USA	113 696(a)	525	30 054(a)
Japan	21 280	184	12 872
World	283 571 #	:	75 649#

Sources for the countries :

1. United Nations, Geneva
2. IRF - International Road Federation, Geneva
3. Verband der Automobilindustrie, Frankfurt
included in the "Basic Statistics 1980"

(a) 1977

FINANCE

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS BY MAIN HEADINGS 1978 - NET FLOWS

IN MIO ECU

Country	A. Goods & Services			B. Unrequited transfers			C. Total (A+B)	D. Long-term capital			E. Basic balance (C+D)	Short- term capital	Re- serves	Contra- entry to net SDRs alloca- tions	Errors and omis- sions
	Goods (fob)	Servi- ces	Total	Private	Official	Total		Direct invest- ment	Port- folio invest- ment	Other long- term capital					
FR Germany	20062	-6369	13693	-3286	-3527	-6812	6880	-1523	-820	-293	4244	-614	-9648	0	-1588
France	1211	4305	5516	-1419	-1162	-2581	2936	62	-240	1479	4237	555	-2515	0	2763
Italy	2277	2896	5173	868	-1170	-302	4871	270	-69	-457	4615	378	-3	0	386
Netherlands	-446	298	-147	-390	-408	-798	-945	-963	865	-688	-355	241	578	0	-180
Belgium }	-949	749	-200	-142	-367	-509	-709	734	-562	-367	-904	-305	0	0	270
Luxembourg }															
United Kingdom	-1884	5590	3705	-205	-2567	-2771	934	-1737	-1911	-798	3512	152	1999	0	2669
Ireland	-1099	166	-934	193	502	695	-239	299	25	-577	-492	53	-77	0	38
Denmark	-1873	400	-1473	-25	406	381	-1092	12	285	704	-91	33	-1190	0	-120
Greece	-2746	1226	-1520	770	1	771	-749	14	0	590	-145	-22	-70	0	-218
EUR 10	14553	9261	23814	-3635	-8291	-11926	11888	-2831	-2429	1189	7817	473	-9737	0	4018
Spain	-3174	3112	-62	1309	-11	1298	1236	372	31	1265	2904	130	-3073	0	100
Portugal	-1681	-35	-1716	1300	0	1300	-416	39	3	156	-218	0	-367	0	185
USSR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
USA	-26496	19918	-6578	-666	-3326	-3992	-10570	-8144	1123	-194	-17785	-1543		0	8407
Japan	19305	-5798	13507	-349	-181	-530	12977	-1855	-	-	11122	-	-	-	0

SYMBOLS AND ABBREVIATIONS USED

-	Nil
:	Not available
≠	Uncertain, estimated or provisional
*	Estimate made by Eurostat
MIO	Million
%	Percentage
Km	Kilometre
Km ²	Square kilometre
t	Tonne
toe	Tonne of oil equivalent
Kwh	Kilowatt-hour
ECU	European Currency Unit (1 ECU = 0.56 £ sterling)
EC	European Communities
EUR 9	Total of the nine member countries of the EC prior to the adhesion of Greece
EUR 10	Total member countries of the EC
FAO	Food and Agricultural Organization
ACP	Countries of Africa, the Caribbean and the Pacific - Lomé Convention
IATA	International Air Transport Association
FR	Federal Republic
EUROSTAT	Statistical Office of the European Communities
ECSC	European Coal and Steel Community

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